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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:
Warren P. Williamson IV
Serial No.: 10/786,657
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For: EXTREMELY LONG WIRE FASTENERS FOR USE IN MINIMALLY INVASIVE SURGERY AND
MEANS AND METHODS FOR HANDLING THOSE FASTENERS
Group Art Unit: 3773
Examiner: Woo, Julian W.

Notification of Loss of Entitlement to Small Entity Status Under 37 CFR, § 1.27(g)(2)

Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir,

The applicant, Medtronic, Inc. is the assignee of the right, title, and interest in the above-identified application, as evidenced by the executed assignment dated February 5, 2010, Reel/Frame: 024140/0312. The previous owner (assignor) of the above named patent application may have claimed small entity status pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.27(g)(2). Applicant herein provides notice to the United States Patent and Trademark Office that it is not entitled to small entity status and as such requests that the status be changed to that of large entity. Please charge any fees due as a result of this change in entity status to Deposit Account No. 13-2546.

Respectfully Submitted,

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